



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2431

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Kotaro ENDO et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2157
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Application No.: 09/667,769)	Examiner: El Chanti, Hussein A.
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Filed: September 22, 2000)	
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For: METHOD FOR DETERMINING A)	Confirmation No.: 8176
SERVER COMPUTER WHICH)	
CARRIED OUT A PROCESS)	
MOST RECENTLY, AND HIGH)	
AVAILABILITY COMPUTER)	
SYSTEM)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2006, the period for response having been extended to August 10, 2006 by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper, beginning on page 18.